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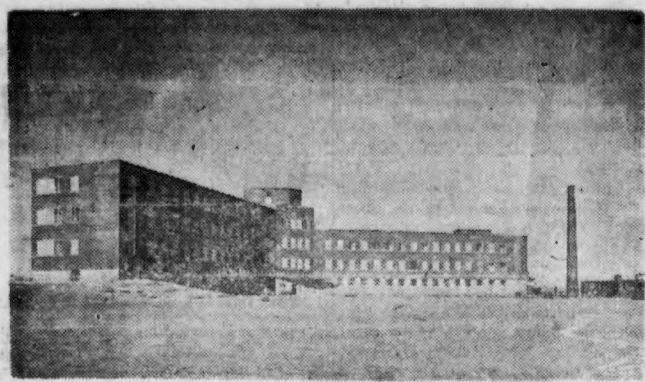
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The new Alberta Red Cross Crippled Children's hospital in Calgary is a masterpiece in modern engineering and design. Built to care for Alberta's crippled children the hospital, when completely equipped, will have cost in the neighborhood of one and one half million dollars, nearly all of which has been donated by the people of Alberta.

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The annual meeting of the parishioners of Christ Church, Carbon, was held in the church basement Wednesday evening, January 24. Reports from the A.Y.P.A., W.A., Little Helpers and the Sunday School reveal that the church had enjoyed a very successful year. The W.A. in particular had an exceptionally good year.

Rev. Way thanked the parishioners for the very fine support which they had shown during the past year and reported an increase in the number of services during the year and that the attendance at worship was holding firm.

Mr. John Atkinson was appointed vicar's warden and Mr. Leslie Bramley was elected people's warden. The following were elected to the vestry: R. J. Shaw, C.H. Nash, N.E. Nash, J.A. Barr, E.P. Wiffen, Gordon Hunt, Howard Hunt, Albert Bramley, Hugh Isaac, Charles Cave, Jack Barber and Wilfred Skerry.

Mr. Hugh Isaac was elected delegate to the Diocesan Synod and Mr. Charles Cave was elected substitute delegate. R. J. Shaw and W. Skerry were elected auditors in 1951.

Several matters of business were discussed and recommendations made for further work to be done during the year. The ladies were thanked most heartily for the pot luck supper enjoyed before the meeting.

Rev. Way closed the meeting with prayer.

Five rinks from Carbon are playing in the Acme bonspiel this week. Members of the rinks are: Sam Garrett, Jack Barber, Leo Brown and Dick Sherring; Dusty Poxon, Bob Shaw, Morris Switzer and Oscar Gackle; Bill Ross, Wilf Skerry, Chris Thumert and Jack Barnes; Leo Halstead, John Reid, Vic Luft and Keith Halstead; Ed Cannings, Dave Gleck, Fred Ohlhauser and Chuck Martin.

The Carbon branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society has been informed by the Alberta branch that the quota for the Carbon district in the coming campaign has been set at \$950. The provincial objective is \$400,000. The Carbon branch raised \$839.25 last year.



ARLENE WEYMARK

Drumheller candidate in the Carbon Lions Club Carnival Queen contest.



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THIS SPRING

Look For Difficult Situation
In Handling Frost-Damaged Grain

WINNIPEG.—Winnipeg grain men look for a difficult situation this spring in the handling of frost-damaged grain from the 1950 crop. August frosts froze more than half the spring wheat crop of 430,000,000 bushels. Other grains were similarly hit. Much of the damaged grain still is in farm storage.

Safe while frozen, this grain may start to heat and deteriorate in warm weather.

At the lakehead, grain-drying facilities are taxed to capacity. With the bulk of the damp grain yet to move eastward, grain men see serious congestion ahead.

Since the week before Christmas close to 40 per cent. of grain inspected in western Canada has been graded "tough" or "damp".

Wheat, oats, barley and rye containing more than 17-per-cent. moisture grades "damp". The minimum moisture content of "tough" grains varies from 14 to 14.8 per cent.

Because priority was given to movement of high-grade grain last fall, the influx of damp varieties at the lakehead has yet to reach its peak.

Official-rated capacity of the lakehead driers is 500,000 bushels a day.

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But the excessive moisture of the current crop cuts this down.

Some damp grain with as much as 36-per-cent. moisture needs three trips through the driers.

Grain currently is arriving at the lakehead in quantities three times as great as outward shipments. Some 18,000,000 bushels of tough and damp grain on hand face one of the gravest risks in the history of western Canada grain growing.

"There is no immediate danger while the wheat is frozen," he said. "But in March when the weather gets warm, millions of bushels of damp grain may spoil before it can be dried."

Funny and
Otherwise

"It was sweet of you, John, to back the horse because it had the same name as me."

"It had the same habits, too. Came in half an hour late!"

"Peggy says she thinks she could learn to love me," said Potter.

"Well, you don't look very happy about it," put in Clark. "It's going to be jolly expensive," said Potter, unhappily. "I took her to the theatre last night and a little supper afterwards. The first lesson cost me \$12."

He: "Remember, darling? Last night you said there was something about me you could love?" She: "Yea, but you spent it all."

"My music teacher says I have a fine voice and should go far." "Splendid! I'll help you pack."

As most people know, the B.B.C. employs "scouts" who inquire among the public what items are popular and so forth. One of these tackled a man who stated that he didn't listen much, but usually heard "Lift Up Your Hearts."

"Then I take it you are interested in religion?" commented the scout.

"Well, no—but I wait for it to start because I know by that time I ought to be shaving." 2916

Thatcher Wheat
Wins Sask.
Championship

Entry Of George Thompson, Codette, Awarded Trophy

SASKATOON.—George Thompson of Codette, Sask., won the provincial wheat-growing championship and the farm crops trophy that goes with it.

He won with an entry of Thatcher wheat at Saskatchewan's 42nd annual seed fair at the university here.

Mr. Thompson's exhibit was also the best in the registered spring wheat class.

The junior wheat championship and the Seager Wheeler trophy, open to junior grain club members, went to Donald G. Sedgwick of Melville, also with an exhibit of Thatcher.

Officials said it is unusual for Thatcher entries to walk off with the top prizes. They commented particularly on the high marks obtained by Mr. Sedgwick's entry. He received 96 points of a possible 100, just half a point behind the championship entry.

Runner-up in the registered wheat seed class was Adolph F. Patricek of Esterhazy, and third prize went to C. M. Thompson of Lac Vert.

FIVE TIMES AS MANY

Youngsters in the 16-20 age group are involved in five times as many fatal accidents as drivers in the 45-60 age category.

HEADS SQUADRON. — Fit. Lt. Don Laubman, D.F.C., 29, of Edmonton, Ace fighter pilot of the last war, who has been appointed officer commanding the R.C.A.F.'s new 416 fighter squadron. The new squadron which is being formed at Uplands airport, near Ottawa will eventually be equipped with Canadian-built jet fighters.

Number Of Suspended
Drivers Climb
In Manitoba

WINNIPEG. — Drivers suspended from Manitoba's highways have more than tripled in number in the last three years.

R. B. Baillie, registrar of motor vehicles, said the safety responsibility law in effect since late in 1945 is responsible. The law requires proof of financial responsibility by owners in case of accidents.

There were 1,206 drivers suspended at the end of October, 1947 compared with 3,717 at the end of October, 1950.

Thinks Present
Generation Soft

COOKSON, Sask. — Jack Beads, born and bred in the pioneer days of Northern Saskatchewan, says that if the present generation had to go through what the pioneers did "it would kill them if they didn't quit first."

Beads was born at Prince Albert 74 years ago and still cuts his own firewood. He claims the majority of youngsters nowadays "don't seem to have what it takes. They're too soft, living with all modern conveniences and relying on the push-button system."

His mother died when he was four, and he was 16 when his father died.

HOW TO GET QUICK RELIEF from sore, PAINFUL PILES
A Candid and Honest Discussion on a Delicate Subject

Since the dawn of civilization, medical men have been fighting a ceaseless war — to save lives and to conquer dread diseases.

When they discover a new "miracle" drug or surgical technique, the news rings round the world! Yet all the while, other "unsung" men of science are working equally hard to relieve suffering caused by less dramatic, "everyday" maladies. Among them is perhaps the most painful of all — piles!

A Subject Seldom Discussed

Pile sufferers are burdened with a double hardship. They yearn for relief, but hesitate to seek it because of false pride and embarrassment. Yet to the man or woman who knows the agonizing torment of itching, burning piles, the truth about their trouble may mean a world of difference in business efficiency, in social pleasure, in good looks and vitality!

What Causes Piles?

Piles are not a primary ailment. Conditions which cause them never originate in the parts affected. At first, piles are simply inflamed and distended "varicose veins" in the delicate membranes of the rectum. A common cause is hepatic congestion (torpidity of the liver) which results in ordinary, everyday constipation.

IMPORTANT! Here is frank information — in non-technical language—regarding an annoying, painful, often embarrassing physical condition which now afflicts countless thousands — you, perhaps, among them. Far too frequently this condition, at first superficial in itself, can be Nature's warning of more serious trouble to come. We believe everyone who suffers from this condition owes it to his or her own personal comfort to read the statement below.

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How Piles Develop

As the liver function slows down, blood flow from the lower bowel to the liver is retarded and small rectal veins swell with blood. Then, usually, constipation starts. Hard, clogging masses form in the lower bowel — irritating and bruising the distended rectal veins. Blood stagnates in and around areas, until the tiny veins become greatly inflamed, lumpy, horribly painful.

This agonizing pain aggravated by constipation, is "self-perpetuating". The constipation adds to the itching, burning pain and soreness—which in turn increases the constipation—which then tends to further enlarge the swollen veins until they become pile tumors. If this vicious circle is not broken, there is only one choice — chronic piles or the surgeon's knife!

Why Face This Choice?

Decide now to break this

vicious circle! Many others have done so, thanks to an able professional man who, more than 50 years ago, began an intensive study of piles—their cause and effect. Knowing that piles are caused by congested conditions inside the body, he wisely searched for an internal medication that would relieve hepatic congestion, stimulate bile flow, gently ease constipation and improve circulation of the blood in the lower bowel—thus helping Nature herself promote a healthier condition in the sore, painful areas where piles are found. Finally, in his own practice, he devised a formula of medically-proven elements—small tablets taken by mouth—which showed amazing results in 86 out of 100 cases that came to his personal, professional attention!

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—By Les Carroll

THE TILLERS



Civilization Visits Arctic

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Typical of the Bering Straits ports of call for the Northwind is the station at Attu. In rough weather they would not attempt to land supplies.—Central Press Canadian.

By DAVID A. HELLER

SEATTLE, Wash.—The return, after an absence of more than five months, of the United States Coast Guard cutter Northwind spotlights again the U.S. counterpart of the voyage of the Canadian ship Nascope to remote Arctic regions. The U.S. vessel has one of the most difficult, dangerous and adventure-packed voyages ever assigned a vessel—the Bering sea cutter patrol.

To remote Eskimo villages in the vast stretches of Alaskan Arctic waters, to lonely service personnel maintaining places like the Ioran station on Attu, and to sick or injured seamen in such places as Point Barrow, northernmost of American possessions in the Arctic, the cutter on the Bering sea patrol is all things to all men.

The first U.S. ship to reach Alaska in 1867 after the United States purchased it from Russia was the coast guard cutter Lincoln. From that day until the present, the Bering sea cutter patrol has performed most of the functions of government in remote areas of Alaska.

Cutters like the Northwind enforce the law, apprehend criminals and transport "floating courts".

They carry mail, take teachers and scientific personnel to their posts, check up on sanitation, take doctors and dentists to the remote villages to care for the health of the natives, guard timber, game, fish and seals, gather military intelligence, made soundings and conduct scientific research. To top it off, the commanding officer even performs marriages!

The Northwind began its many-thousand-mile journey early in May and ended it in early autumn. Sea lanes to most of the places she visited are frozen over with several feet of ice except during mid-summer.

The Northwind is an icebreaker, round-bottomed, and having no keel. This gives her a tremendous roll, even in calm waters. When Arctic storms reach the height of their fury, she pitches on the sea like a cork.

This requires a special gyroscopic attachment for the crew to enjoy its favorite recreation—listening to recorded music. The gyroscope keeps the record player completely level, no matter how violently the ship may be pitching. The sailors can enjoy a bit of jive while the ship is literally jumping.

The Northwind's C.O. is a special United States commissioner and a junior officer is appointed a special deputy marshal. As a commissioner the commanding officer is a justice of the peace, notary, coroner, probate judge and examining and committing magistrate.

The deputies have all the duties of a local sheriff. Coast Guard officers perform these services without extra pay.

The Northwind stopped for two or three days each at many Eskimo villages which were ports of call. At a typical village a thorough search is made for contraband liquor while doctors and dentists line up the villagers to check their physical condition. Everything from an appendectomy to an aching molar is taken care of by the public health service doctors making the trip.

The Northwind had a tight schedule which it had to keep in order to reach the many villages and military stations it had to service. Sometimes as many as 250 Eskimos needed attention of one sort or another and the doctors had to "work the clock around."

One of the proudest chapters in the history of the Bering sea patrol is the 1897 voyage of the cutter Bear, a predecessor of the Northwind.

In the winter of 1897 the Bear volunteered to go to the rescue of eight ice-bound whaling ships near Point Barrow. She arrived at Unalakleet on Dec. 9, only to find the rest of the way frozen solid. Point Barrow was still 2,000 miles away. The 300 marooned sailors and 400 natives there would starve without help. What to do?

An overland dog sled expedition was organized to go the rest of the

way. The trip was full of hardships and dramatic incidents. Often the men had to harness themselves to the sleds and pull, for the dogs would lie down and refuse to go farther on their bleeding feet.

According to the official report, after a day of killing work a man might have to stay awake all night to kick his feet to keep them from freezing.

En route, the expedition picked up a herd of 400 reindeer at native villages. These were herded hundreds of miles to Point Barrow for a mobile food supply! At Point Barrow the seamen were found to be suffering from scurvy, lack of clothes and poor shelter.

The coast guardsmen took charge and kept the natives and icebound seamen in good health from March until August when the Bear got through to rescue them.

New Mystery Located On Sun Through Radio

HAVERFORD, Pa.—A new mystery on the sun, found by radio, was described to the American Astronomical Society.

This mystery is radio waves which are sent out, not from the sun itself, but from the sun's corona, the halo of pearl white light seen during total eclipses.

This corona extends about 1,000,000 miles out beyond the edges of the sun. It is made of gases and particles so thinly spread that they would be considered a good vacuum on earth.

The strange radio signals from this halo were picked up and measured by a U.S. naval research laboratory crew of scientists on the Island of Attu in the Aleutians during the total eclipse of the sun three months ago.

The sky was cloudy that day, but the radio "eyes", which are big metal dishpans, received the radio signals right through the clouds. The scientists picked up radio signals of four wave lengths, all from the sun, respectively of three, eight, 10, and 65 centimeters.

Climatic Expert Predicts Colder Weather For Next 50 Years

Fewer And Smaller Wars And Nations To Turn To Reconstruction

(By Howard W. Blakeslee)

BOSTON.—The unusual weather this last fall is merely an introduction to about 50 years of colder climate to come. How much colder? Enough so that farmers should be told right away that growing seasons will be shorter during the next 25 years.

Enough so that the public should be told it is being misled by stories that world climate is getting warmer.

These are the conclusions of Dr. Raymond H. Wheeler, student of weather cycles and chief of staff of the climatic research division of the Weather Science foundation, Crystal Lake, Ill.

The present weather changes fit war predictions based on weather which Dr. Wheeler, then a psychology professor at Kansas university, made seven years ago.

He had then charted 17,000 battles in world history, to find that world wars take place in warm periods. And, he said, both world wars came in a warm period.

In cold periods, like the one now starting, he found that although wars continued, they were smaller, usually civil conflicts. Nations in the cold times turned to reconstruction. Love of liberty grew stronger. He said Jesus Christ lived in one of the cold periods.

To date, the weather war predictions are concerned solely with predictions about the warm cycle, which he says is just ending, and the cold just ahead.

His studies show two important cycles, one of 100 years between two warm peaks, the other 1,000 years. We now are entering the cold half of a 100-year cycle, Dr. Wheeler said.

The cooling signs actually began about 10 years ago. Winters have become sporadically much more severe. Palestine suffered an unprecedented snowfall. Blizzards have appeared of the sort characteristic of cold periods, such as one in the west two years ago.

The erratic weather last fall is explained, under his studies, as characteristic of the periods when climate is shifting from warm to colder.

Dr. Wheeler says weather experts have been ignoring the ups and downs of the 100-year cycle, and paying attention only to the 1,000-year period. The last previous 1,000-year warm peak was about 1,000 A.D. The next is due after 2,000.

This 1,000-year shift, now on the warming-up side, has caused frost lines to advance northward in Finland, Norway, Alaska, Russia, Siberia and Canada. In Greenland, farms and cemeteries buried under ice and snow for 600 years now are uncovered. Glaciers have been receding all over the world. Warm water fish have been migrating northward for several decades.

Because of these signs, Dr. Wheeler says, the public has been told that world climate is becoming warmer. They have not warned about the coming drop.

"There is not the slightest chance," he says, "of the world getting steadily warmer, nor is there the slightest chance that we will escape a long, severe cold period that is on the way now."

Scientists Sport Tattooing Whales

OTTAWA.—Canadian fishery scientists produced a whale of a fish story recently as proof that they were earning their pay:

They said they were tattooing 10-foot whales.

Dr. K. H. Doan, acting director of the Central Fisheries Research Station, said the job was being done in the Churchill area of Hudson Bay to trace whales' movements.

Greenland was discovered by Eric the Red and his crew of Norwegian outlaws in 982 A.D.

On The Side : E. V. Durling

Winston Churchill has lost his amateur standing as a painter. He has sold to a United States greeting card firm, the rights to use eighteen of his paintings on Christmas cards. For this he has been paid about \$75,000.

Wily Motorist

What would you think if you saw a man driving an automobile backwards along a highway? You would think he was barmy. So would I. That's what a traffic policeman thought when he saw a motorist driving that way. Investigation revealed there was method in this motorist's seeming madness. He had rented the car on a mileage basis. The meter didn't register when he drove the car in reverse.

Thought Stimulation

It has been claimed standing on the head for a brief period stimulates thought. I tried to check on this, but nearly broke my back in the attempt. Anyway, the Duchess of Windsor can stand on her head for several minutes at a time and often does so. She was taught how to do so by Clifton Webb, who is an expert on Yoga.

Schoolgirl Figure

The retaining of her schoolgirl figure by a woman in her forties can have its disadvantages. Take Bebe Daniels, the cinema and radio luminary, who has about the same figure she possessed when starring in Harold Lloyd comedies over 25 years ago. Bebe and her 18-year-old daughter, Barbara, have exactly the same measurements. And so what? Barbara borrows her mother's clothes. Bebe often decides on wearing a certain favorite suit or evening gown only to find her daughter is wearing it.

Man The Cause Of It All

The first woman in England to wear silk stockings was Queen Elizabeth. Silk stockings originated in Spain. That's what I note was stated. That may be true. However, the same writer claims high-heeled shoes originated in France. The first high-heeled shoes were made for King Louis the Fourteenth, of France, who wanted to appear taller than he was. I believe His Majesty had become much interested in a statuesque court beauty. That was the start of height-building shoes for men. The King's high-heeled shoe style appealed to the ladies of the court. So they began wearing them.

One Of The Gang

An Englishwoman has a rough-haired terrier named "Patch" which is a mathematician. Patch can add, multiply and subtract. When a problem is given to him verbally he indicates the answer by strokes of his paw. What interested me most about this remarkable animal is that when asked, "How many men are in the room?" he includes himself in the answer.

Always A Way Out

The Swedish liquor laws cover considerable territory. One law regulates the size of a drink sold a woman. This is smaller than the drink permitted to be sold a man. However, the Swedish girl can get around the law by persuading her escort to give her some of his drink, so both drinks will be equal.

Beauty Marks

Have frequently heard young women complain of having freckles. Evidently they consider freckles a handicap in the matter of male attraction. However, Mlle. Fernanda Montel, French-Brazilian entertainer, is known as "the girl with a thousand freckles," and she is one of the most sought after women in Europe, being constantly besieged by wealthy male admirers. She has been styled the "most exciting woman in Europe." So if your daughter has freckles, tell her not to be discouraged. They will not prevent her from becoming a great charmer of males if she has what else it takes to bring about that situation.

Parking Privileges

People living in crowded areas rarely have a chance to park their cars in front of their own houses. Somebody else is always parked there. It is usually some suburbanite. If the owner of the house double-parks in front of his own house, he gets a ticket. It is injustices like this that try men's souls. There should be parking meters in front of all houses. The money from the meters should go to the owner of the house to help pay his taxes.

The cost of maintaining one man in the armed services of the United States is eighty-one hundred dollars a year. My authority for this statement is the United States bureau of the budget.

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YOU'RE TELLING ME

By WILLIAM RITT

Central Press Canadian Writer

A British Columbia mine which sold for \$10 in gold rush days is now worth \$4,000,000. Well, a saw-buck went pretty far in those days.

Scientists have uncovered in Oklahoma what may be evidence proving humans lived in the United States 750,000 instead of just 10,000 years ago. No wonder they call Oklahoma the Sooner State.

Belgians, we read, hoard silver coins as fast as they are minted. They must wear the heaviest socks in the world.

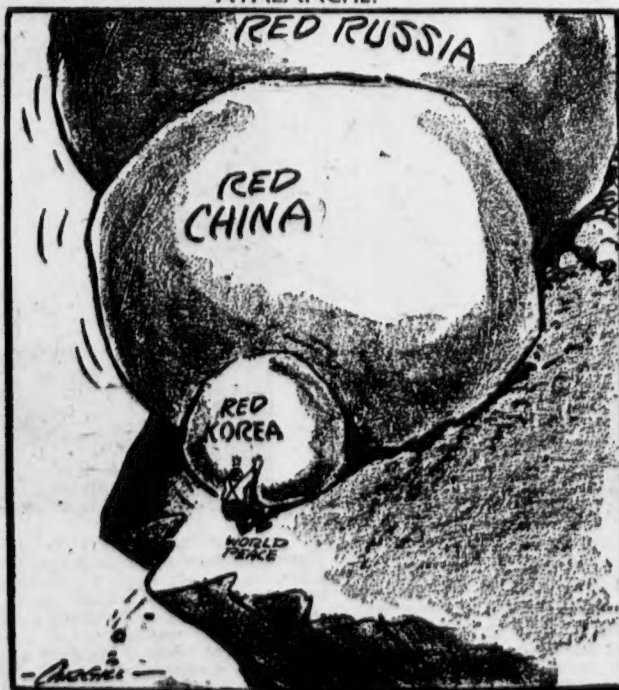
Paris, France, is about to celebrate that city's 2,000th birthday. For a gal 20 centuries old she still has plenty of style.

Paris' original name was Lutetia—so it's no wonder that when it comes to being a gay city the French capital was a perfect lu-lu.

Julius Caesar once wrote about a hot time he had there. During a battle the place burned down.

Paris always has had trouble with too-rambunctious visiting firemen. In the 3rd A.D., a horde of barbarians came to town and left the place a shambles. In fact, it even disappeared for a while.

AVALANCHE!



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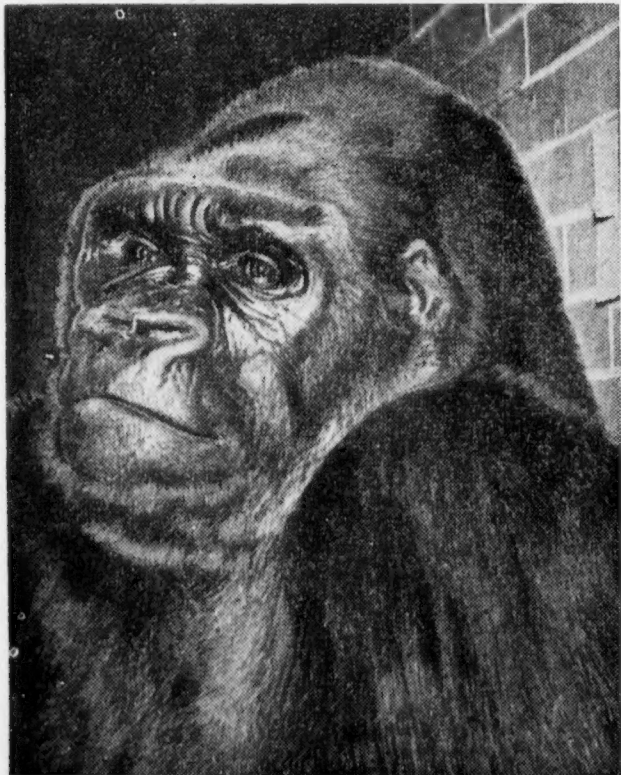
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THEY SHOULD HAVE JOINED THE NAVY!—When they talk of the "wets" and "drys" in Fort Lewis, Wash., the subject is not about old-fashioned cheer, but the continuous rainstorms which have plagued the camp since the arrival there of Canada's Special Force to Korea. In the above photo Cpl. George Elliott, (left), of Montreal, and Tpr. Ray Gould of Moncton, N.B., are seen taking a stroll across the "lawn" outside their billet.—Central Press Canadian.



PATCHED UP Aly Khan, looking glum after a motor accident in Morocco, reads newspaper over shoulder of his wife, former film actress Rita Hayworth, in their hotel room in Cairo. There have been reports that the princess may return to the movies soon.



THE GREAT BUSHMAN DIES—Bushman, world famous gorilla, was found dead in his cage at the Lincoln Park zoo in Chicago recently. The great ape, 22 years old, had been the biggest single attraction at any Chicago zoo for the past 20 years. An estimated 3,000,000 persons visited his cage annually. He weighed 550 pounds and was six feet, two inches tall. Zoo veterinarians said Bushman died of a heart attack.



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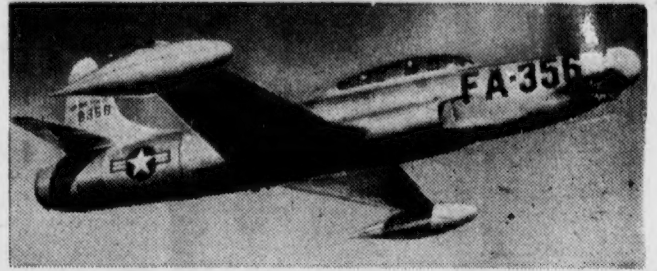
ILLNESS POSTPONED MARRIAGE—Due to the illness of the Shah of Iran, his marriage to Soraya Esfandayari, scheduled to take place on Dec. 27 at Teheran, was postponed. Soraya's father, Khalil Esfandayari, is a nobleman and leader of the strong Bakhtiari tribe, which rebelled against the shah's father in 1929. The shah fell in love with his lovely bride-to-be when he saw her picture. They later met at the Paris embassy in 1948 during his state visit to France.



HEAD OF INDIA'S DISPLACED RULING PRINCES—Piqued by what they claim to be encroachments against their ancient privileges and dignities, India's displaced ruling princes have banded together under the leadership of Maharajah of Baroda, seen above in Bombay, in a union reported to number 100 to win recognition and guard their ancient rights. The princes were most perturbed over the fact that "not a single former ruler has been invited to an official function since India became independent three and a half years ago.—Central Press Canadian.



HOLIDAYS AHEAD—Screen star Ruth Roman models red and white checked blouse with paisley design running through checks and white pique shorts. She carries a wooden box that serves as handbag, sewing box, etc., and wears ranch hat of pineapple stalks.



WATCH OVER NEW YORK—The U.S. Air Force, disclosed that lightning fast F-94 all-weather jet planes, like this, now are guarding New York city and the industrial East. The new jet planes are equipped with radar and devices to give them additional power for combat or faster climbing speed. They are operating from McGuire Air Force base at Fort Dix, N.J., and other bases of the Eastern Air Defence Force. The planes have a service ceiling of more than 45,000 feet and a top speed in excess of 600 miles per hour.



VICTORS IN JET AIR BATTLE—Victorious jet fighter pilots of the U.S. Far East air force rehash a dog fight with Russian-built MIG-15 jets before a map at a base for Korean operations. These four are part of the eight Americans who took on 15 to 20 enemy planes and brought down six without loss. Left to right are: Capt. James Roberts, Washington, D.C.; Lieut. Ward Hitt, Kansas City, Kan.; Lieut.-Col. John C. Meyer, Forest Hills, N.Y., and Lieut. Arthur O'Connor, St. Joseph, Mo. All but Hitt scored an individual victory.—Central Press Canadian.



ARRAIGNED IN CONNECTION WITH PUERTO RICO UPRISING—Pedro Albizu Campos, (centre), president of the Puerto Rican Nationalist party, is shown, pokerfaced, in the district court of San Juan, Puerto Rico, as he was arraigned on several charges in connection with Nationalist uprising of Oct. 30, in which 28 persons lost their lives and hundreds were wounded. Flanking Campos are defence attorneys Juan Hernandez Valle, (left), and Angel Cruz Cruz.—Central Press Canadian.



—Central Press Canadian.

MOVING DAY AT U.N. HEADQUARTERS—Moving day for the United Nations found the secretarial staff of Secretary-General Trygve Lie busy. Some 300 moving vanloads of files and other office furniture were hauled from the temporary headquarters at Lake Success and installed in the new building in Manhattan. Here is Andrew Cordier, executive assistant to Secretary-General Lie, checking over plans in Lie's new conference room. A gas stove is his desk at the moment, while Elizabeth Boys, member of Lie's office staff, checks the refrigerator. These items are for Mr. Lie's penthouse apartment atop the 39-storey building.



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Lower Production Costs in 1951

It is a well-known fact that unit cost of production affects greatly the profit or loss in any farm operation. Can western farmers increase the yield per acre and lower the unit cost of production of their grain crops?

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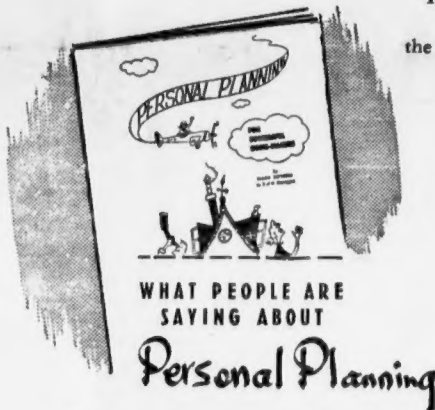
The second important point is that the farmers of Western Canada market from 200 to 800 cars of 'smutty' grain each crop year. This represents an entirely needless, preventable loss of from \$300.00 to \$400.00 per car for the shipper of smutty grain.

Use Clean, Treated Seed. And what about the use of clean seed? Believe it or not, over 50% of the seed that goes into the ground each spring in Western Canada is *uncleaned* seed, a fact that has been established by the recent seed drill surveys of the Alberta Department of Agriculture. In many districts of Western Canada there will be a shortage of good seed for 1951. It is therefore more important than ever that farmers exercise the utmost care this spring in cleaning and treating their own seed stocks.

Efficient, timely cultivation, the use of 2,4-D for the control of susceptible weeds, and care in the operation of the combine or thresher to remove weed seeds from threshed grain are measures which will help to lower production costs, and hence increase farm income in 1951.

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What To Do About Pre-Game Jitters

Pre-game jitters have little respect for age, experience or ability. They strike anywhere. The more important the event, the more serious the attack is likely to be. There probably isn't a single athlete who hasn't at one time or another had the "jitters".

This nervousness is Nature's way of preparing you to do a good job, and although it isn't always the most pleasant medicine, it should never be a source of worry. It is wise, however, to develop control over pre-game jitters so that you do not become tense. This would spoil your efficiency and sense of enjoyment.

Here are a few hints:

1. Whenever you feel the "jitters", force yourself to breathe slowly and deeply, emphasizing the exhale. When you are nervous, you tend to breathe softly and shallowly, causing physical discomfort to the body. A few slow, even breaths will help slow your heart, which speeds up under nervous tension. This slow-breathing trick is an excellent one to use before a game, or before a particular play in the game, and will be even more effective if accompanied by an effort to relax the entire body during the exhale.

2. Think about WHAT you are going to do in the competition, rather than HOW you are going to do it. An athlete who is nervous is usually worried about how he personally is going to perform; whether he will be a credit to himself and his team. This develops extra tension. Instead, the athlete should take his mind away from this phase of the game by concentrating on the various manoeuvres and plays he is going to make, and the duties he has to perform. Such thinking is much more constructive than worry.

3. Do not sit by yourself before a game, thinking about what's going to happen. If you keep your thoughts directed outwards towards other people, you won't be so bothered by your own feelings. Try to concentrate on helping the rest of your team to relax. Memorize a few jokes and try to be the "life of the party" in the dressing room, no matter how you feel. Even if you are sick with nervousness, you can snap out of it if you pretend you are raring to go and full of pep. If you will only

make the effort, you will be surprised at how good you will feel.

4. Have a good warm-up before the game. Performing some of the plays or movements you know well is an excellent way to relieve pre-game tension and over-nervousness. In addition to easing the strain, a good warm up with plenty of exercises prepares you for the hard physical effort coming up, postpones fatigue, and makes you less prone to injury.

5. Above all, act and talk optimistically and cheerfully. Be aggressive in your thinking. You help not only yourself but also your team by trying to be a leader in this respect. Think about what you and your team are going to do to the opposition, not about what they might do to you.

These few simple ideas can do a tremendous amount to help you control "jitters". But, like anything else, they must be worked at regularly. Make sure you do everything you can to learn how to control your "jitters", because it can increase your enjoyment and make a tremendous difference in the way you play.

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World Happenings Briefly Told

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British industrial output jumped eight per cent. in 1950, permitting bigger export sales and helping Britain to get along without further Marshall aid dollars after Jan. 1.

Seaman Robert Morley didn't have change for his bus fare in Glasgow last August. The company sent a demand for the amount and learned that Robert now is in Singapore.

The United States air force said it is getting two giant hydraulic presses six storeys high, that can shape metal as though it were paper and greatly speed up making plane parts.

A film showing the mating dance of the prairie chicken has been shown to members of the Ornithology Section of the Manitoba Natural History Society, Winnipeg. The film was partly made at Estevan, Sask.

Canada's multi-million-dollar gold-mining industry, imperilled by climbing production costs, urged the Government to join with South Africa in seeking a higher world price for gold.

KITCHEN MEDITATIONS

By JANE DALE

CHIRPY THE CHICKADEE

Chirpy, the chickadee,
Hopped upon my window sill.
He seemed to say as he flew away,
"What, boy! Are you sleepy still?"

Chirpy, the chickadee,
Calls me to come out to play.
He chirps his song all day long,
And does not mind the coldest day.

Chirpy, the chickadee,
Out in all sorts of weather.
Wet or dry you see him fly
When the birds all get together.

Chirpy, chirpy, chickadee,
Chirps a cheerful song for me.
Chirpy, chirpy, chickadee,
Helps cold and storm pass pleasantly.

It takes about 200 man-hours of work to build an auto. 2916

SHOPLIFTERS' TOLL

NEW YORK. — Shoplifters take \$10,000,000 worth of merchandise from New York stores yearly, a city judge said in urging appointment of psychiatrists to aid judges in such cases. Justice Irwin Davidson said many defendants are mentally ill, rather than criminally inclined, because many take items of little use or else can well afford to pay for them.

Weekly Tip

LARGE TRAY

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- 1 High, craggy hill
- 4 Hasty
- 9 To soak
- 12 Poem
- 13 Wireless
- 14 Female sheep
- 15 Great personage
- 17 Pry
- 18 Fury
- 20 Military assistant
- 21 To check Platform at the end of a stairway (pl.)
- 27 Worshipped animal
- 29 Outer garment
- 30 Butterfly
- 31 Pronoun
- 32 Black
- 34 To spoil
- 35 Note of scale
- 36 To box
- 37 Task
- 38 Pachyderm
- 42 Scrape
- 44 Raised platform
- 46 Cupid
- 48 Persons bearing a close resemblance
- 49 Science of life
- 51 Fanciful bird
- 52 Years before twenty
- 54 Cereal grass
- 55 Soil
- 56 American playwright
- 57 Resort

VERTICAL

- 1 Male cat
- 2 Room in a harem
- 3 Grieves over
- 4 To boast
- 5 Badger-like animal
- 6 Fruit drink
- 7 Italian for "yes"
- 8 Periods of rest
- 9 Number
- 10 To be in debt
- 11 By
- 16 Cognomen
- 18 To redact
- 20 Before long
- 21 Fence steps
- 22 Complete
- 24 Fruit of the oak
- 25 Titan
- 26 Kind
- 28 One of the seven chief devils
- 33 Cries like a sheep
- 34 Looking glasses
- 36 Nine inches
- 38 Implement
- 40 Proclamation
- 41 Tinge
- 45 Flowerless plant
- 46 To endeavor
- 47 Sorrow
- 48 Busy insect
- 49 Slang: to cheat
- 50 Affirmative
- 53 Man's nickname

Answer To Last Week's Puzzle

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PRISCILLA'S POP—Self-Sympathy Pains



—By Al Vermeer

Alberta Farmer, 85, Likes Getting Married

CALGARY, Alta.—Simon Huether, who says that what he likes doing most is "getting married," figured he had done so much to increase the population of Canada that he deserved an old age pension, even if he didn't need it.

At 85, Huether has been married four times—"and they've all been good wives"—and has close to 200 living relatives. He'd need a convention hall, he said, if he ever wanted to call a family reunion.

Huether's first wife bore him 15 children, he said; the other three none.

Fourteen of the 15 children were married, and 13 are still living, widely scattered throughout the Canadian and American West; Portland, Seattle, Spokane, Walla Walla, Vancouver, and in various parts of Alberta.

His children, he said, followed his example when they went about the business of building families—they built them big. His eldest daughter, Mrs. Fred Bechtholt, of Olds, Alta., had 12.

In a cursory count, Huether estimated that he had about 70 grandchildren of whom approximately 40 were married. Thirty-six of those, he said, had children, and he figured that he had between 80 and 100 great grandchildren. Of great-great-grandchildren, he could count at least 13.

All this, he felt, made him as worthy of an old age pension as anyone in the country.

"I've raised lots of children," he said. "They all pay income tax. I paid income tax for a long time. Now why don't I get an old age pension?" He didn't need it.

Years of profitable farming in Alberta had left him in comfortable circumstances.

Born in Odessa, Russia, strapping, white-haired, Huether emigrated to the United States in 1885, and came to Canada in 1910. He farmed most of his life, and today still is the proud owner of a large garden, in which he spent a good deal of his daylight hours during the summer months.

He accepted help in the garden only when really strenuous jobs had to be done. His wife is barred.

"Wives keep stepping on things," he says.

Indoors, Huether daily reads a large German family Bible, as well as German newspapers. He speaks only a little English.

"What," he was asked, "do you like doing especially?"

"Getting married," he solemnly replied.

Discoverer Of Coal Near Hudson Hope, B.C., Dead

HUDSON HOPE, B.C.—Neil Gething, 87-year-old pioneer mining engineer who arrived in the Peace River country by dog team more than 50 years ago and discovered a "mountain" of coal near here, was killed Nov. Year's eve by a horse.

Gething, educated at Ann Arbor, Mich., was associated with Lord Rhonda, the Welsh coal magnate who invested millions in an unsuccessful effort to bring a railway to the Gething coal properties.

The pioneer spent half a century in an effort to develop coal and iron in the Canadian Rockies at Hudson Hope. He sought to interest Chicago financiers in the mines and at one time negotiated with Col. Robert McCormick, Chicago publisher.

Gething finally had the satisfaction of seeing two sons operate properties which now ship coal by truck more than 100 miles to the railroad and to points on the Alaska highway.

He was associated with the late John L. Huston, first mayor of Nelson, B.C., and at one time helped finance the late Hon. W. C. Nicol, founder of the Vancouver Daily Province, in a weekly newspaper project at Sandon, B.C.

SMILE OF THE WEEK

The young bride was looking into the window of a jewelry store.

"George," she says, "I'd love to have that bracelet."

"I can't afford it for you, my dear," says George.

"But if you could you would, wouldn't you?"

"No," says diplomatic George.

"Why?" says she, surprised and angry.

"It isn't good enough, dear."

"Oh, you darling darling."

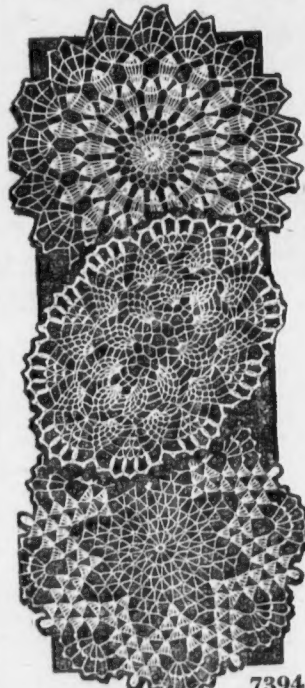
Conquest Of Darkness



On first glance there is nothing unusual or surprising about the young boy seen engaging in an activity that is commonplace in many educational institutions. The surprise, however, comes later, when it is learned that this student is blind. The youngster is a student at the Tomtebodas school, just outside Stockholm, Sweden, where running, broad jumping, high jumping and wrestling are among the athletic activities. Any blind child in Sweden is privileged to attend this unusual school, where the main item on the curriculum is the lesson of conquering darkness. Not the least remarkable of the feats performed by the children is the one illustrated here. A rope is stretched between two uprights, a handkerchief is attached to the centre of the rope. The boy jumper paces off the distance from the starting point of his run to the rope to gauge his take-off point. Then he fingers the handkerchief to determine its height in relation to his body and he is then ready for the test.—Central Press Canadian.

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If static interferes with good radio reception from distant broadcasting stations, half-way turn of the plug so that the prongs are in opposite position may clear it up.

Cast aluminum cooking utensils are easily cleaned with steel wool, but if the utensil is highly polished or chrome-plated, use only a fine cleansing powder on it. If it becomes darkened by alkaline foods, or water, rub with vinegar, lemon juice or cream of tartar.

Seams on linoleum floors can be successfully sealed and smoothed over by running a strip of transparent tape down the full length of the crack. If you shellac over the tape, the surface will hold up for an indefinite period.

The average human draws 12 breaths every minute.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

CRITICISM

Criticism, as it was first instituted by Aristotle, was meant as a standard of judging well.—Johnson.

Justly to discriminate, firmly to establish, wisely to prescribe, and honestly to award—these are the true aims and duties of criticism.—Simms.

Criticism is the child and handmaid of reflection. It works by censure, and censure implies a standard.—R. G. White.

It is our pride that makes another's criticism rankle, our self-will that makes another's deed offensive, our egotism that feels hurt by another's self-assertion.—Mary Baker Eddy.

You do not get a man's most effective criticism until you provoke him. Severe truth is expressed with some bitterness.—H. D. Thoreau.

What is merciful censure? To make thy faults appear smaller? Maybe to veil them? No, no! O'er them to raise thee on high.—Goethe.

N.H.L. Sport Notes

Brilliant Scoring Effort By Mickoski

Nick Mickoski, 23-year-old forward with the New York Rangers, pulled off the most sensational scoring display this season, when he scored four goals and assisted in a fifth as New York downed Chicago 6-1 on Christmas Eve. The tall Winnipeg native figured in all but one of the Rangers' goals. No other player in the N.H.L. had scored more than two goals in one game this season previous to Mickoski's dead-eye shooting.

In 30 games this season Nick had he had 13 goals and nine assists for 14 points. Last season in 54 games he had 13 goals and nine assist for 22 points. His play has improved tremendously this campaign.

Watson — A 10-Year Veteran At 27

Handsome Harry Watson, left wing of the Toronto Maple Leafs and one of the National Hockey League's picture players, is a 10-year veteran at the age of 27. Harry jumped straight from the Saskatoon Junior Quakers to the Brooklyn Americans in 1941 at the age of 18. He played the 1941-42 season with Americans. When the Americans disbanded he went to Detroit Red Wings where he performed during the 1942-43 season. He spent the next two years in the R.C.A.F. The 1945-46 season found him in Detroit. He was traded to Toronto before the 1946-47 season started and has been with the Leafs ever since. This is his fifth season with the Leafs.

Watson has played on four Stanley Cup winners. He was with Detroit in 1942-43 when they captured the prized silverware, and a valued member of Toronto's triple winners of 1946-47, '47-48 and '48-49.

He has never played a single game in minor professional ranks. He's played in the N.H.L. ever since he left Saskatoon with the exception of two years spent in the R.C.A.F.

Consecutive Game Point Streak

Len "Red" Kelly of Detroit had an outstanding scoring streak for a defenseman recently in which he garnered at least one point in eight consecutive games. Kelly started his streak on December 10 with one assist against Toronto. On December 13 he had two goals and one assist; on December 14 he sniped a goal; on December 16 he also tallied a counter; and on the following night he picked up an assist. He acquired an assist on December 19; a goal and two assists on the 23rd and an assist on December 25. Kelly's total for the eight games was five goals and seven assists for 12 scoring points.

It would cost an airline about 30 times as much to buy a jet transport as it does to purchase a conventional four-engine plane.



TOTAL AMPUTEE — Believed to be the first quadruple amputee to come home from the Korean war is P.F.C. Robert L. Smith, 20, of Middleburg, Pa. Col. A. H. Corliss, commander of the Travis Air Force Base hospital, Calif., said "His morale and condition are excellent. His chances of recovery are good. The Cpl. is on his way by military air transport to the Walter Reed hospital in Washington, D.C.—Central Press Canadian.

ODDITIES IN THE NEWS

First prize at a whist drive in a Lancashire town was a motor-car worth \$600, and folks came from miles around to try their luck. But the winner of the car went home by bus—he couldn't drive.

Northerners are convinced that gold is where you find it. Some scoop it up with dredges, others pan it. Some just dig it. But Fred Cook, prospector of Dawson, Y.T., got some for Christmas. He discovered a nugget the size of a kernel of corn in the crop of his Christmas turkey. He had it analyzed. Pure gold, was the assay.

Jerome Kringle, of Good Thunder, Minn., promised to get a federal pilot's licence and obey aeronautic regulations in the future. He was fined \$15 for stripping the wings off his plane and taxiing down Main street "to get some cigarettes".

Gardner G. Van Tonder, of Thabanchu, South Africa, cut down a walnut tree in his garden in this Orange Free State town and a peach tree grew next to the stump. Now he gets peaches with a complete walnut in the centre, instead of the peach pips.

Policeman Joseph Kubiak, of Milwaukee, Wis., lifted Mrs. Bertha Johnson into an ambulance after she slipped on ice and injured her hip. Then Kubiak went back to look at the slippery spot. He slipped too. The ambulance carried him to a hospital with Mrs. Johnson.

TRY AND STOP ME!

By BENNETT CERF

A tourist in Algiers told his guide, "I'm tired of seeing all the places you show every visitor. I want to see the real Africa!" The guide said, "I will take you to the wildest, most exotic cafe this side of the Sahara. You will never forget it!" The two men walked to a dark and forbidding house on the edge of the town, and after a certain amount of hokuspokus at the gate, were admitted.

Several nondescript characters were draped in various abandoned attitudes about the premises, but what immediately caught the tourist's eye was an English colonel, impeccably attired, swagger stick and all, who, believe it or not, was exactly six inches tall! As he stared in disbelief, the bartender threw a red silk cord over the edge of the bar, the colonel pulled himself up hand over hand, and perched on the top with a whisky and soda.

The guide was delighted. "What luck," he told the tourist. "You're going to meet Colonel Pringle, one of the most fascinating sights in all Africa!" Then he turned to the six-inch figure, and boomed, "Be a good fellow, Colonel Pringle, and tell my tourist friend about the night you told that witch doctor to go jump in the lake!"

: Selected Recipes :



Here's a delightful fruit sherbet pie that requires no baking! The filling is smooth, refreshing and wonderful to taste in a rich graham cracker crust.

Frozen Fruit Pie

Two eggs, ½ cup sugar, ½ cup light corn syrup, 1 cup cream or top milk, 1 cup milk, ½ cup orange, lemon or lime juice, 1 tsp. grated rind.

Beat eggs until thick and lemon-colored. Add sugar gradually, continuing to beat. Stir in remaining ingredients. Tint mixture with food coloring as desired. Pour into freezing tray and freeze until firm. Remove to a chilled bowl and beat with a rotary beater until light and smooth, but not melted. Pour into graham cracker crust.

Graham Cracker Crust

One and a half cups graham cracker crumbs, ¼ cup confectioners' sugar, ¼ tsp. cinnamon, ¼ cup melted butter.

Add sugar and cinnamon to graham cracker crumbs. Blend in melted fat. Cover bottom and sides of a buttered pie plate with crumb mixture. Pack down firmly. Reserve a small portion of the crumb mixture to sprinkle over the top of the pie. Return pie to freezing unit and freeze until firm. Serves 6.

OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

NATURE ALWAYS WINS

By MAUDE NORMAN

Andy Thought As He Kissed Her, Nature Did Work Things Out.

BETTY ADAMS was a girl who didn't look as though she had a serious thought in her blonde head. Her blue eyes seemed more adapted to turning masculine heads, than deciphering the pothooks and curly-cues of shorthand notes. In spite of her looks, however, Betty was a perfectionist. She was a perfect secretary, a perfect date, and a perfect conversationalist, knowing when to look sympathetic, wise, or just plain interested, as the occasion demanded. There was only one thing lacking with her, in the estimation of Andy Lawrence. She did not like children or housekeeping.

Andy had reached the point of thinking that she'd be nice to come home to when he learned this. They were dining at their favorite restaurant when a young couple came in with two children, a boy and a girl.

"Why don't people with kids stay home," she said. "Look at that boy, spilt his milk first thing."

"Perhaps her husband thinks she would enjoy an evening out," Andy said mildly. "My sister Margaret has two children and she likes to get away from home occasionally."

"Does she drag the children with her?" Betty asked.

"Oh, come," Andy remonstrated. "This is the twentieth century. Every woman doesn't stew over a hot stove. As for babies, I thought most of them wanted one or two."

"Well, here's one who doesn't," Betty declared.

"What does a pretty girl like you know about housework or babies?" Andy teased.

"I know plenty," Betty flared. "I'm the oldest of nine. As far back as I can remember, life was a succession of babies for me to help care for. By the time I was old enough to leave home on my own, I was so sick of diapers, bottles and babies, I vowed I was through for life. Look at that mother. I bet she's around my age but she looks years older."

Andy took his problem to his sister, the ex-glamor girl. She laughed. "Don't let her fool you," she said cheerfully. "I know how she feels. Bring her here to dinner a few times, let her see how wonderful Pete and the babies are. Then if you love the gal, marry her and give nature a chance."

"Aren't you getting a little heavy, Sis?" Andy asked, eyeing her.

"A little, but that will be remedied in a few months."

"You mean—again!"

"You needn't look so shocked. Pete and I both want it and that's all that matters."

Andy's sympathy for his sister made him agree readily to Betty's ultimatum when she consented to marry him. "I never thought I'd fall for a red-head," she said. "But you know how I feel. I'll keep on work-

WESTERN BRIEFS

Expect Early Start

EDMONTON—Graham Curtis, city industrial commissioner, said he has been notified by R. O. Sweezy, of Montreal, that he is counting on a start early in the spring on a \$10,000,000 pulp and paper mill here.

Opens Trading Post

The Saskatchewan government has opened a trading post at Cumberland House, 200-year-old Hudson's Bay company post in the rich muskrat swamps 150 miles northeast of Prince Albert. Other such stores have been located at Wallaston Lake, Lac La Ronge, Snake Lake, Deschambault and Stanley.

Boost Fares

VANCOUVER. — Practically all shipping firms operating between British Columbia ports have boosted passenger tariffs, it was learned. Freight rates are unchanged.

Fix Many Bridges

REGINA. — The Saskatchewan highways department has built nine reinforced concrete bridges and one over-pass this season. It has also built or improved 33 bridges of other types.

Goldeye Increasing

WINNIPEG. — Goldeye, succulent western Canada fish, is on the increase in Manitoba lakes. The goldeye catch, which slumped to 78,800 pounds in the 1946-47 season, has been steadily increasing since, the Manitoba fisheries branch reports. In 1949-50, the catch was 228,500 pounds.

"I don't know, but she and Pete get a kick out of their kids. She used to be quite a glamor girl too. Model and all that."

"More fool her for giving it up to stew over a hot stove and have a raft of babies," Betty retorted. ing. We'll share expenses. There will be no children and no house-keeping. If you won't agree, I'll do my best to forget you and your funny, lope-sided grin."

Betty liked Margaret and Pete. She even minded the babies sometimes, giving them a chance to step out. But she didn't hesitate to tell Andy she considered Margaret foolish, giving up a promising career for home-life.

One evening, Pete's agitated voice reached her on the telephone. "Margaret fell downstairs. I found her when I came home."

"I'll be right there," she answered quickly. "What does the doctor say?"

"I can't get him, he's out on another case."

"How much longer?" she asked, as, hat and coat tossed aside, she looked at the moaning Margaret.

"Soon," Pete answered, tight-lipped.

"The hospital say they can't take her," Andy reported.

"Is that so?" Betty snatched the receiver. "Listen," she said crisply. "This woman's doctor is on your staff. We can't reach him. I don't know what he'd say if you allowed a child to be born in your lobby, but that's where it will be, if you don't have a bed ready. Take it up with the doctor later. Right now the patient is on her way."

"Here, here, why the tears?" Andy asked, hours later. "Everything is all right."

"I'm crying because I'm glad," Betty sniffed. "Oh, Andy, what if the baby had died?"

"Well, it didn't, thanks to you bulldozing them at the hospital. Dr. Evans said we got her there just in time."

"Do you know, Andy," Betty laid her head back against his shoulder. "I still want to work after we're married, but just until we have a nice down payment on a house. I think every family should own their own home, don't you?"

Margaret was right, Andy thought as he kissed her, nature did work things out.

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PARTY RETAINS FULL NAME

OTTAWA.—It's still the Progressive Conservative party, says leader George Drew.

Mr. Drew said in an interview he has no objection to the recent decision of the Winnipeg Progressive Conservative club to drop the "progressive" from its name.

But he emphasized the party itself is continuing with the full name, which it took on at its 1942 convention—in Winnipeg.

Nipawin Announces Dates For 1952 Automobile Bonspiel

NIPAWIN, Sask. — Nipawin's sixth annual automobile bonspiel will open Friday, Jan. 11, 1952, and run until the following Saturday, Jan. 19.

Announcement of the dates was made following a meeting of the Nipawin Curling club executive, sponsors of the event.

Big Potato Surplus Reported By Alberta

EDMONTON.—Alberta must consider export of potatoes because production now exceeds local consumption, William Lobay, provincial Supervisor of Crop Protection, said.

Some 1,500 commercial and feed potato growers last year put an estimated 27,000 acres in potatoes. Mr. Lobay said this was probably the highest acreage ever planted in potatoes in Alberta.

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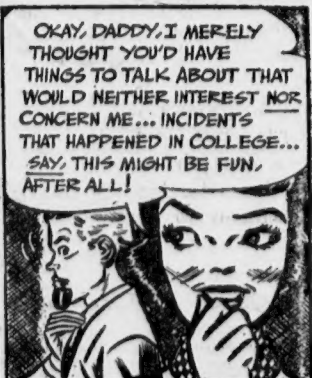
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Robert Irwin Machell, 2-month old son of Mr. and Mrs. Stan Machell of Calgary, passed away in a Calgary hospital Tuesday, January 30. Surviving are his parents, one brother and his grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Atkinson of Carbon.

Rockyford won Taylor, Pearson and Carson junior Brier curling playdowns held at Rosebud last Saturday. Playing on the Carbon rink were Jim Foster, Roy Kary, Keith Halstead and Donald Martin. The district final between Acme and Rockyford will be played at Carbon Saturday. The Macdonald Brier district final between Rockyford and Irricana will also be played on neutral ice at Carbon the same day.

Charles W. Smith of Carbon died in a Calgary hospital Tuesday morning. Services will be held from Christ Church, Carbon Friday afternoon. A complete obituary will appear in the next issue of The Chronicle.

Gwen Fox had the misfortune to break her arm while playing at home on Sunday.



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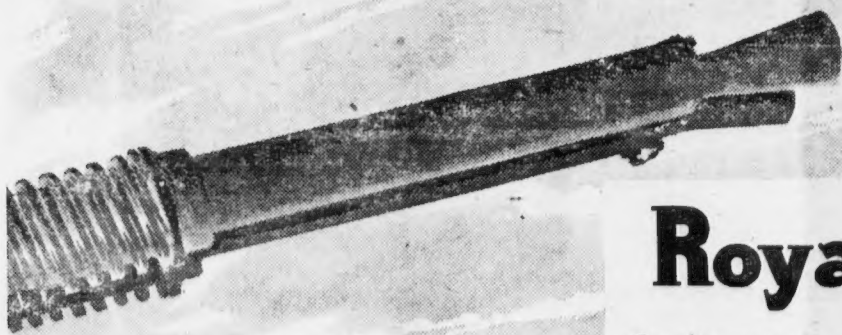
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